

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 STATE 306879
ORIGIN COME-00

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 EB-08 ISO-00 USIA-15 XMB-04 /040 R

DRAFTED BY COM/OIM/BED/HHLINDSTROM, CMM/LFM
APPROVED BY EB/OCA/CD:REDAY
COM/OIM/DM/CBARRETT
STATE/EB/OCA/RDAY
STATE/EUR/EE/SFROMOWITZ
STATE/USIA/GFORNER (INFO)
COM/OIM/WLUBKEMAN
COM/OED/GBURKE

-----008428 240749Z /10

R 240143Z DEC 77
FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO AMEMBASSY BELGRADE
INFO AMCONSUL ZAGREB

UNCLAS STATE 306879

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP, YO

SUBJECT: FY-77 COUNTRY COMMERCIAL PROGRAM REVIEW

REF: BELGRADE 7445

1. THE WASHINGTON COMMERCIAL ACTION GROUP MEETING WAS HELD NOV. 22 WITH COMMERCE (OIM, OED, OTP AND BEWT) STATE, USIA AND EXIM PARTICIPATING.

2. IN GENERAL, WCAG WAS GRATIFIED AT HIGH LEVEL OF COMMERCIAL ACTIVITY AND COMPLETION OF FY-77 ITEMS INDICATED BY REPORT IN SPITE OF PERIODS OF PERSONNEL SHORTAGES.

3. THE POST IS TO BE PARTICULARLY COMMENDED ON THE
UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 STATE 306879

LAUNCHING OF THE NEWSLETTER ON A QUARTERLY BASIS. THE SUBSTANTIAL USIS COOPERATION IN ITS PUBLICATION WAS FAVORABLY NOTED.

4. THE HEAVY LOGISTIC LOAD WHICH FELL UPON THE POST IN RELATION TO THE U.S.-YUGOSLAV ECONOMIC COUNCIL MEETING IN BUDVA WAS NOTED AND THE SUGGESTION WAS MADE THAT HOLDING

MEETINGS IN BELGRADE OR ZAGREB MIGHT EASE THE WORKLOAD.

5. IT WAS NOTED THAT A FOREIGN ECONOMIC TRENDS REPORT IN THE FORMAT UTILIZED FOR PUBLICATION IN THIS SERIES WAS NOW DUE AS THE LAST REPORT FOR YUGOSLAVIA WAS DATED AUGUST 1976.

6. THE MAJOR PROJECTS DIVISION REQUESTED THAT REPORTING ON OPPORTUNITIES UNCOVERED BY THE POST IN THEIR ACTIVITIES BE AS SPECIFIC AND COMPLETE AS POSSIBLE; THE ELECTRIC POWER AREA WAS PARTICULARLY NOTED AS ONE WHERE MORE CONCRETE OPPORTUNITIES COULD BE ANTICIPATED. MINING IS ALSO AN AREA WHERE SPECIAL ATTENTION WAS FELT WARRANTED.

7. IT WAS ANNOUNCED THAT THE POST HAD BEEN REQUESTED TO SELECT THE BEST YUGOSLAV COMMERCIAL EXHIBITION (AND AN ALTERNATE) FOR U.S. INDUSTRY EACH YEAR FOR A 5 YEAR PERIOD COMMENCING FY-79 IN EFFORT TO INCLUDE AN ANNUAL EVENT IN THE MILAN INTERNATIONAL MARKETING CENTER SCHEDULE. (BELGRADE 9062 JUST RECEIVED.)

8. THE BEWT REPRESENTATIVE INDICATED CONTINUED ACCEPTANCE BY US TRADE MISSIONS TO INCLUDING YUGOSLAV SCHEDULING IN ADDITION TO EE STOPS. OIM AND BEWT WILL CONTINUE TO COORDINATE EFFORTS ON TRADE MISSIONS AND SEMINARS. VANCE

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: n/a
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Sent Date: 24-Dec-1977 12:00:00 am
Decaption Date: 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1977STATE306879
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: OIM/BED/HHLINDSTROM, CMM/LFM
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Expiration:
Film Number: D770480-1211
Format: TEL
From: STATE
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1977/newtext/t19771218/aaaaaotq.tel
Line Count: 86
Litigation Code IDs:
Litigation Codes:
Litigation History:
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Message ID: 2a6d0efd-c188-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Office: ORIGIN COME
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 78 BELGRADE 7445
Retention: 0
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 25-Feb-2005 12:00:00 am
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review Media Identifier:
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
SAS ID: 131671
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: FY-77 COUNTRY COMMERCIAL PROGRAM REVIEW
TAGS: BEXP, YO
To: BELGRADE
Type: TE
vdkgvwkey: odb://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS_Docs/2a6d0efd-c188-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Review Markings:
Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
22 May 2009
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 22 May 2009